

## **2022 Sandlot League**

- Baseball and Softball leagues combined. (Leagues will be ages 7-8 and ages 9-12)
- Coach-pitch style play. 6 pitches or three strikes. If 6 pitches are reached without the ball coming into play or the batter striking out, a tee will be used.
- No scorekeepers or umpires. Coaches will rule on-field calls and keep track of score.
- No standings will be kept. All participants will receive a participation medal at the end of the season.
- 4-inning games or a 75-minute time limit (whichever comes first) with a continuous batting order. An inning is complete once all batters have hit through the line-up one time. (3-outs does not constitute the end of the inning)
- Home and Away teams will be decided by a pre-game dance-off between one player on each team. Spectators will decide the winner (winning team will receive home-field advantage).
- 10 players will be allowed in the field at a given time.
  - 6 infielders (no catcher, 2 pitchers), and 4 outfielders.
  - Outfielders must remain behind the designated arch behind the infield.
- A player must play at least half of the game in the field. Free substitution is allowed.
- In the event of an overthrow to ANY base, the runner may continue to run until time is called
  - Time can be called by any player with the ball inside of the basepaths.
- An 11” softball will be used in the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning of every game.
- A watergun will be used during a select inning to spray any batter that reaches 1<sup>st</sup> base.
- In the event of a tie at the end of 4-innings or the 75-minute time limit, a tee will be placed at Homeplate and one coach from each team will have one swing to hit the ball as far as they can. The furthest ball hit will win the game.
- Only USA stamped bats may be used.
- Rules may be subject to change and additional “fun” activities during gameplay may be added.
- HAVE FUN!!